

FIFTEENTH YEAR.

EARLINGTON, HOPKINS COUNTY, KY., THURSDAY, DEC. 22, 1904.

No. 51

JUDGE HARGIS USES PARDON

Needed Friends in His Race for County Judge of Breathitt.

HENCE ASKED PARDON OF MAN-SLAVER.

Louisville, Ky., Dec. 20.—A special to the Herald from Winchester says:

That he had used a man-slayer's pardon as a vote-getting scheme was admitted on the witness stand by Jim Hargis today.

"I was a candidate for County Judge and I needed all the friends that I could make. That is the reason that I got Gov. Beckham to pardon Tom White. White had been sentenced for murder in Perry county."

This was the statement made by James Hargis, County Judge of Breathitt county, and one of the defendants in the \$100,000 damage suit brought by the widow of James B. Marcum.

"I saw Curt Jett in iron, marched into Jackson behind a squad of soldiers and a Gatling gun. It was more than flesh and blood could bear. That boy was my nephew and that is the reason that I went to his assistance, although we had quarreled more than once before."

In this way Judge Hargis explained to the jury his interest in the two men who have been convicted of the murder of James B. Marcum.

Earlington Engineers at Meeting of the Engineering Association of the South.

Earlington was well represented at the meeting of the Engineering Association of the South, held at Nashville on Saturday last. Messrs. John B. Atkinson, President of the St. Bernard Mining Co., W. L. Gordon, Jr., Manager, and Frank D. Rash, Chief Mining Engineer, of that company, were present and report an enjoyable and a profitable time. Mr. Atkinson acted as toastmaster at a delightful banquet where a number of responses were made to sentiments close to the engineering profession. Mr. Rash was one of the speakers, responding to the toast; "Hidden Treasures,"

Observations in Brief.

(William J. Burtscher.) With respect to "Mr. Dooley," it may be said that he is very much over-Dunne.

Uncle Sam's kin folks consist of brothers and sister countries, father-land, Pana-ma, and sonny South America.

Perhaps Mrs. Chadwick was intending to spend a week at the World's Fair.

And now the anecdotes that are being told at Washington day by day by senators and congressmen, and the like, again "press" themselves before the public.

Stumps of adversity in our field of action are no impediment to a rich harvest when we plow around them.

Christian Church.

The Christmas exercises will be rendered by the Sunday school at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

The subject of the morning sermon will be "The Spirit of Christmas." In the evening "Paradise Regained," a conclusion of last Sunday evening's sermon.

Solitude is very often a good deal solitary than the society which is forced upon us.

PRESENTATION TO AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE

Resolutions of Thanks Tendered Mr. John B. Atkinson, President St. Bernard Mining Company.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 17.—The following resolution was passed by the Board of Trustees of the Agricultural and Mechanic College of Kentucky at their meeting December 13th, 1904:

"That the thanks of the Board are due and are tendered Mr. John B. Atkinson, of Earlington, Ky., for his interest in the upbuilding of the Department of Mining Engineering in the College, which he has so generously manifested by presenting spending several weeks with his relatives and friends near Troy, Ind., after the holidays.

E. F. Yearwood, chief dispatcher at Evansville, became a Benedict a week ago last Wednesday. The bride was Miss Daisy Stortor, also of Evansville.

Theodore Curtis and W. A. Stearns, officials from Louisville, were at Howell last week.

Thos. Walsh was on the sick list a few days last week.

Fireman Pat Holloran has resigned and has returned to work on the farm near Waverly Tenn., his old home.

Dan E. Kelly, the well known traveling engineer, was on the division this week.

Sam R. Gray, engineer at the Guthrie coal hoist, is off on a short vacation.

Homie Reddix, a machinist helper, was struck in the eye last Friday by a piece of steel, causing him to be laid up for sometime.

Fireman Harry Baldwin has resigned. He has gone to Terre Haute to work for the E. & T. H.

Julious Onley while rolling a car wheel the other day lost control of the wheel and was obliged to let it drop. The wheel dropped on his foot, mashing it pretty badly. Just then the whistle blew for dinner, and the boys claim that the whistle blowing was the cause of the wheel dropping.

Fireman Morris Gee was struck in the forehead by a box car at Guthrie Sunday, which had been left standing close to the track.

The Bee is pleased to add to its list of subscribers the names of fireman C. E. Shaw and engineer Theodore Schmidt of the St. Louis Division.

Fireman Scalped to Death.

Princeton, Ky., Dec. 19.—In a wreck of two freight trains,

Fireman Gee Gilbert, of Pine Bluff, Ark., was scalped to death, both engines were badly damaged and several cars derailed.

The accident happened about one mile north of Princeton.

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Georgetown, Ky., Dec. 19.—It Judge Cantrill's intention to be sworn in as a member of the Court of Appeals on the first day of the next session and then to take a short trip to Hot Springs. His health has been very poor but he is growing stronger now.

John R. T. Barbour Has Been Denied Bail.

Shepherdsville, Ky., Dec. 19.—Judge S. E. Jones tonight overruled the motion for bail in the case of Jno. R. T. Barbour charged with the murder of Francis J. Hagan. The prisoner will be taken to Louisville to await the trial of his case at the next term of court.

LOCOMOTIVE BLASTS

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Goff, at Guthrie, Tuesday, Dec. 18, a fine 10 pound boy. Mother and child doing well. William is all smiles.

J. D. Henderson has resigned as switchman in Evansville yard to accept a position as fireman with the Southern Railroad at Princeton, Ind. Mr. Henderson had his first experience as fireman with the L. & N.

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INVESTIGATING ORGAN QUESTION.

Kentucky Leaders in Christian Church Endorse Instrumental Music.

Lexington, Ky., Dec. 19.—Representatives from a Nashville, Tenn., Christian church have been here taking despositions to ascertain what the leaders of that church in Kentucky understand the belief of the church to be. A minority of the Nashville congregation had sued to prevent the majority from installing an organ.

President B. A. Jenkins, of Kentucky University; Prof. C. L. Loose, Prof. J. W. McGarvey, Prof. B. C. Deweese and others gave depositions. The majority of the evidence secured here, which was taken before a notary public, was to the effect that instrumental music is permissible.

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grew occurred at Promontory, Utah, in 1900, when Johnson, who was the head brakeman on a through passenger train between San Francisco and Ogden, was directed to couple the locomotive to a dining car, which was standing on a side track at that point. The engine and car were equipped respectively with the Janey coupler and the Miller hook, but they did not work together and Johnson was compelled to go between the cars, with the result that his hand was badly mashed and amputation was necessary. He brought suit for damages, but the Circuit Court of Appeals for the Eighth circuit decided against him. Today's opinion reversed both of these judgments and ordered a new trial.

LETTERS OF AN ENGINEER TO HIS MASTER MECHANIC, NO. 8.

Dear Sir.—Today the fireman and I were more or less surprised and somewhat frightened when on rounding "Ram's Horn" curve we discovered a lone

train robber who had a double

barreled shot gun in each hand,

and where the facilities are pos-

ible, at the end of each trip.

By cleaning, the regulations im-

press the fact that all interior

surfaces are to be scrubbed with

hot water and rags, mattings and

upholstered seats are to be ex-

posed to the sunlight and thor-

oughly disinfected.

DEAR SIR.—Today the fireman

and I were to be made ones.

Though it was his first triple

experience, he was equal to the

occasion and the marriage of all

was performed with a single cer-

emony. The neighborhood was

agog and the ceremony crowned

a large gathering of friends with

happiness and good cheer.

The one ceremony made man

and wife of these young people:

Mr. Geo. Fork and Miss Anthie

Baker; Mr. I. D. Davis and Miss

Hattie Sadler; Mr. Bert M.

Baker and Miss Sammie Oldham.

The wedding occurred yesterday

afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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TRIPLE WEDDING

Was to Have Been Double but Proved to be "Catching."

AND THREE COUPLES MADE HAPPY.

The New Year was taken by the foretop yesterday at the residence of Frank Baker, a farmer who lives a few miles west of Earlington, and three newly married couples launched their craft with a single ceremony on the sea of double blessedness. It was to have been a double wedding according to first arrangements, but Cupid's bairn was in the air and there was an infection that seemed to spread irresistibly. When the minister, Mr. Howard J. Brazelton, of this place, arrived he was taken aside and informed that there had been a chapter added to the day's love story; that there were three twos to be made ones. Though it was his first triple experience he was equal to the occasion and the marriage of all was performed with a single ceremony. The neighborhood was agog and the ceremony crowned a large gathering of friends with happiness and good cheer.

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PROMINENT LADY DIES.

Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson Departs This Life at an Advanced Age.

WAS A PIONEER SETTLER.

Mrs. Elizabeth Robinson, wife of T. R. Robinson, died at her residence on Railroad street Saturday night about midnight. She was one of the first settlers of this place, having moved here in 1870.

She was born May 16, 1837, at Cornwall, England; came to America with her parents at the age of 12 and settled at Dodgeville, Wis.; married at Dodgeville in 1859; moved to Earlington in 1870. Several children were born unto them, four boys and three girls, all of whom survive her and were present at the funeral: Ben T. Robinson, of Morton's Gap; Mrs. Geo. King, St. Charles; Mrs. H. L. Branswell, of Providence; Miss Eliza Chas. G., Geo. E. and J. W. Robinson, of Earlington.

Funeral services were conducted at their home by Rev. King, of the Methodist church, of which she was a member.

She was interred in the Earlington cemetery Monday afternoon at two o'clock. A large number of friends and acquaintances followed her remains to their last resting place.

Mrs. Robinson had been in ill health for years and was a patient sufferer. The many friends of the family extend sincere sympathy to the bereaved in this hour of trouble.

Steam navigation the full length of the Yukon river is practically closed.

Kansas collected \$16,903,157.50 of taxes for all purposes this year. Almost one-third of this huge total was for the schools.

Ayer's

You can hardly find a home without its Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Parents know what it does for children: breaks up a cold in a single night, wards off bronchitis, prevents pneumonia. Physicians advise parents to keep it on hand.

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"The best cough medicine money can buy is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. It cures children nothing could possibly beat it."

25c., 50c., \$1.00.
All druggists for
Throat, Lungs

Ayer's Pills greatly aid the Cherry Pectoral in breaking up a cold.

SHORT LOCALS

Clear the track. "The Midnight Flyer" is due here Friday night.

O. K. prices on meats and lamb at W. C. McLeod's.

The talk of the town, "The Midnight Flyer."

Have you secured your seats for "The Midnight Flyer"? If not, now?

Your money's worth at W. C. McLeod's, the recognized leader.

Always on time, "The Midnight Flyer." At the opera house Friday night.

LAURANT The Magician and Illusionist, and Company at Temple Theatre January 9.

E. Hibbs, the hustling piano man of Madisonville, has just sold Mr. Harrison Kuykendall of Center-town, a fine piano for Xmas.

I am agent for T. L. Metcalf's flowers. Call and see them at M. B. Long's bakery.

JOHN L. LONG.

Mrs. J. R. Rash, who has been very ill for some days, is recovering steadily and in a manner encouraging to her friends.

McLeod has a big assortment and will make the price to please you.

It is rumored there will be two weddings in Earlington during the Christmas holidays.

"Get the Habit." Go and see Ed Anderson's big scenic production, "The Midnight Flyer," at the opera house Friday night, Dec. 23.

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LOST—Somewhere in Earlington, package containing a pair of suspenders and a steth. Finder will please leave at Bee office and receive reward. MADIE HANNIKES.

W. C. McLeod is building a splendid reputation on his famous "Brown" shoes. Try a pair.

THE BEE'S SPECIAL Christmas number contained about 1,800 inches of display advertisements, and many of them were given less than half their contract space on account of lack of room.

To Cure a Cold in One Day. Take Laxative Balsom Quinine Tincture. It will rapidly remove money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box, 25c.

In Hanson on Dec. 23 there will be an old fiddlers' contest at the public school house. Fiddlers from all over the county are expected and a pleasant evening is promised to those who come.

Stacks of good-to-eat candy, nuts and fruits at W. C. McLeod's.

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Mr. J. M. Hale, superintendent of the Nortonville coal mines at Nortonville and Miss Rosa Shaw, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shaw were united in marriage at the bride's home near Nortonville on Dec. 17th.

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The Bazaar given by the ladies of the M. E. Church South at the school building last night was a decided success. A large crowd was there and a pleasant evening was spent. The fish pond caused much merriment with the children and young people. The proceeds amounted to about sixty dollars.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one instance where that saline has been able to cure in all of its stages, and that is Carrab. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only reliable cure now known. Carrab being a constitutional treatment, Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of disease.

For the patient strength is built up by the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so far failed in its efforts to answer that they offer a hundred dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

Address F. J. Cheney & Co., Topeka, Kansas. Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Madisonville Elks and K. of G.'s will give two entertainments Monday, Dec. 26, at Morton's Theatre, Madisonville, matinee and night.

The play at night will be a three act comedy entitled "The Old Hay Homestead." The cast is made up of home talent and the proceeds will be given to the poor in Madisonville and Hopkins county.

Just received a large and up-to-date assortment of hats, caps and gloves at W. C. McLeod's.

Wanted—A wife. Party must be young, not over twenty beautiful (not heavily pretentious) accompanied, sweet tempered and some money. I mean business. No trifler need apply. Address all letters to G. Earlinton, Ky.

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JNO. L. LONG.

Frank Levell, a colored boy of this place, while attempting to jump on the Providence train at the depot at Madisonville Saturday afternoon lost his balance and was thrown under the wheels and his leg was crushed below the knee so badly that amputation was necessary.

Be Quick.

Not a minute should be lost when a child shows symptoms of croup. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives as soon as the disease becomes apparent, even after the croupy cough appears, will prevent the attack. It never fails, and is pleasant and safe to take.

For sale by St. Bernard Drug Store, Earlinton; B. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Jno. X. Taylor, Earlinton.

After the devotional services of the Epworth League Sunday night Mr. J. E. Fawcett was elected President, the office being left vacant by Mr. Moreland going away. The League is growing in interest, the attendance is increasing, and some new members are being enrolled.

Big lot of feed, new baled hay and straw at McLeod's.

"The Midnight Flyer" is a play that is marred by no exaggerations, but exhibits the actualities of life with a simplicity and adherence to truth that gives to every picture a photographic vividness. The large audience seems to be in sympathy with the moral of the story. This truly great play has everywhere produced a sensation that is unparalleled in the history of the drama. It will be produced at Temple Theatre on Friday night, Dec. 23.

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PISO'S CURE FOR CONSUMPTION

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PERSONALS

Mrs. W. L. Gordon, of Madisonville, was in Evansville Monday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Orr and daughters went to Evansville Monday shopping.

Miss Zilph Morehead was in the city of Evansville Monday.

M. Cain, of Mortons Gap, was in Evansville Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Herb, Mrs. Lungstaff and daughter, Miss Lizzie, were in Evansville Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Holman, of Madisonville, visited friends here Monday.

Mr. W. Randolph after several weeks on the road is home for the holidays.

Mesdames Umstead and Majors were in Madisonville Friday shopping.

Mr. Andrew P. Dustin will spend the holidays at home in Jeffersonville, Ind.

Miss Nellie B. Carlin will leave for Evansville Friday afternoon to spend the holidays at home.

Miss Celeste Moore was in Madisonville Friday.

Mrs. Harriett Browning and Miss Mabel were in Evansville Monday shopping.

Mrs. Fawcett and daughters were in Evansville Monday.

Miss Effie Teague was in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Walter A. Finley, of Atponley, Tenn., is expected to have a holiday visit with his wife at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Burr. Mr. Finley came several days ago.

Messrs. J. Bailey and R. W. Overall, of the Reinecke Coal Mining Co., were here yesterday on a mission of business.

Miss Ida Martin and Mrs. Strother Handcock were in Madisonville Wednesday shopping.

Mesdames Maude and C. A. Lynn were in Madisonville Wednesday shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Duffy were in Evansville Wednesday shopping.

Mrs. A. J. Harris was in Madisonville shopping Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hart spent Monday in Madisonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Davis spent Sunday in Madisonville visiting relatives.

Mrs. E. A. Chatten was in Madisonville Saturday.

Paul Price was in the County Seat Monday.

Mrs. Yandell Walker spent Monday in Madisonville shopping Wednesday.

Mike Long was in Madisonville Monday.

Major F. B. Harris, of Mortons Gap, was here this week on business.

The Misses Hanna, of this place, were in Madisonville shopping Wednesday.

Miss Carrie Crenshaw, who has been visiting in Hopkinsville several days, returned home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. McGary also went to Madisonville Tuesday night for the same purpose.

Mrs. Polk Blair left Wednesday morning for Keysburg, her home, to spend the holidays. Polk looks lonesome.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Perry, of St. Louis, who have been visiting Mrs. J. E. Fawcett a few days, left Monday for Russellville and Guthrie where they will visit relatives.

Dispatchers Willie K. Griffin and Shartelle were in Evansville Monday on important business?

Thos. E. Finley, of Madisonville, was here yesterday looking up the details of a prospective land deal with one of the mining concerns of the country.

Bryan Hopper made flying trip to Evansville last week of business.

Mrs. J. T. Coonan and Mrs. Barbara were in Madisonville Monday shopping.

Mrs. T. J. Featherston and sons spent the day in Evansville Monday.

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EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT



Why should not our public schools and colleges teach good manners? We make the proposal in all seriousness.

There are a thousand little customs or rules which a well-bred man observes when he walks or talks or eats, in the house or the street or the train. If he fortunately has learned them in his childhood he is as unconscious of them as is of the act of breathing. But he cannot sit in a room or a car near you for a half-hour, though he does not speak a word, without betraying whether he has learned them or not. There can be, too, no doubt that his lack of good breeding will be more offensive to a stranger than his lack of good morals.

Now, our schools and colleges are filled with quick-witted girls and boys many of whom, because of poverty, never had the chance to learn the simple rules of good breeding which will be necessary to them in pushing themselves up in the world as the Freemason's secret signs are to him in opening the lodge doors. We teach them gratuitously science, literature and countless ways of earning their living. Why do we refuse to teach them the little observances which will win for them friends, influence, and power?

We open to all our boys and girls the way to the position and the power of "ladies" and "gentlemen." Why not fit them to fill the parts? No success will compensate them for want of good breeding. We have had able women, and men, too, in the White House who have been wretched failures for the lack of that ease and simplicity of manner which a little training in childhood would have given to them.—*Youth's Companion.*

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Educators are becoming more and more interested in the subject of normal schools for Kentucky. The people are becoming deeply interested. In connection with this question it is well to consider the following items:

1. The three sections of our state are distinctive. The geographic, topographic and the economic divisions of eastern Kentucky, central Kentucky, and western Kentucky demand a state normal school for each. Pennsylvania has thirteen of such schools. If it is good for Pennsylvania, will it not also be good for Kentucky?

2. There is not a state normal school of educational standing in the United States is connected except nominally with any state university or state agricultural and mechanical college. If such a combination will not work in other states, will it likely work in Kentucky?

3. As far as possible in other states, the normal schools are placed above political control. Kentucky politics would kill any educational institution; its baneful effects are seen in the public schools of Kentucky. Therefore, state normal schools in Kentucky should be above political and denominational control.

4. In states having the best normal schools the towns in which such institutions are situated have usually

donated the buildings, grounds, and equipments. This can be done in Kentucky.

5. True normal schools are only preparatory institutions of high grade, doing the highest order of preparatory work. Their courses usually begin where the public schools leave off; they give an academic course, including everything through the sophomore year in a good college, their graduates being able to enter the junior year in standard colleges. Therefore they should not confer academic degrees, nor claim to have a course the equal of a good college. The course should be four years in length, and besides the academic work above indicated, should give four years work in pedagogy.—*Southern School Journal.*

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Well Oiled But Wouldn't Go.
Mr. Bernard Cornell, of Home-story, Ill., sends the following little story of President Roosevelt's school days:

While Roosevelt was at school it came his turn to "speak a piece." He was one of the best declaimers in the school. His elocution was greatly admired by the scholars, and it was equally a source of satisfaction to his teacher. On this particular Friday afternoon a number of the town people had come in to witness the exercises, and everybody was expected to his best. Young Roosevelt had selected for his declamation and carefully committed to memory the well known poem, "Marco Bozzaris." He went to the platform, made a stately bow and commenced:

"At midnight in his guarded tent
The Turk was dreaming of the hour
When Greece her knee—"

and there he stuck. He had forgotten the lines. But he started again at the beginning:

"At midnight in his guarded tent
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but he could get no further. He coughed, wiped his lips with his handkerchief and blushed painfully.

"When Greece her knee—"

he repeated again in despair,

"When Greece her knee—"

but it was hopeless and he looked over toward his teacher, for sympathy.

"Crease her knee again, Theodore," suggested the teacher, with a wink, "and may be she'll go."

At that the whole school burst into laughter, and the future president of the United States fled mortified from the stage.

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Largest Public School.

Perhaps the largest public school in the world has been opened at East Huston, Lewis and East Third streets, New York. There 111 teachers and 3,184 pupils in the cooking classes prepared the opening luncheon in the cooking school. The building has just been completed, and all of the classes are in working order.

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Following are the honor pupils of Wilson school for the fourth month: Ethel May Brown 93, Edna Wooton 93, Nora May Dukes 93, KATE GREER.

YOU ARE BUSY

With your shopping and have no time to read papers

But we want just A MINUTE of your time to

tell you that we carry the Largest Assortment of

Cabinet Mantels,

Tile Hearths and Grates

In This Part of the State.

And Our Prices are Right.

Ruby Lumber Company.

Madisonville, Ky.

St. - Bernard - Drug - Store,
Earlington, Kentucky.

Dealer in

PURE DRUGS ^{AND} MEDICINES,
FINE TOILET ARTICLES,
Combs and Brushes, Patent Medicines and
Druggists' Sundries, Paints, Oils, Brush-
es and Painters' Supplies.

IMPERIAL CROWN PERFUMERIES
A SPECIALTY.

We also have on hand handsome Toilet Cases, Manicure Sets, Statuettes, Smoking Sets, Puff Cases, Tortoise Shell Soap Cases, Venetian Vases, Porcelain Match Cases, Cigar Cases and an elegant line of Meerschaum and French Briar Pipes, Rogers' Knives, Etc.

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THURSDAY, DEC. 22, 1904.

EVERY one who has had anything to do with the editing and publishing of a newspaper is familiar with that class of people who imagine that the newspaper men are continually seeking to get possession of facts that will create a sensation. These same people would be surprised if they knew the number of genuine sensations that are kept out of the paper and suppressed through a desire not to bring grief to the homes of good people. If everything the newspaper man knew was put in print, there would be something doing most of the time. There are a great many things happening daily of a sensational nature that never appear in print and the parties concerned imagine their actions have been so successfully concealed as to escape newspaper notice when the truth of the matter is the papers have knowledge of these things but do not care to publish them. It has been said that there are three things that every man thinks he can do better than the man who is doing it. One is running a newspaper. The other running a railroad and the third one managing a coal mining company. And when it comes to deciding what is news and what is suitable for publication the man who thinks he knows how a paper should be run would be surprised at the wide difference of opinion between himself and his readers. He has only himself to please while the editor has thousands of readers and each of them have a right as readers to know what is going on in the world. When it becomes public matter a newspaper should print all the news that is news and printable and by so doing it will please all of its readers some of the time.

The following is from Harry Sommers, of the Elizabethtown News, and THE BEE heartily resents amen:

Mr. R. W. Brown the managing editor of the Louisville Times delivered a memorial address to the Elks at Philadelphia, which is said to have been one of the finest speeches ever delivered in the city of Brotherly Love and held his vast audience spell bound. Mr. Brown is one of the few newspaper men in Kentucky who adds to the gift of the pen the gift of the tongue. He is being favorably mentioned for Mayor of Louisville and would fill the position with much credit, as he does the chair of the managing editor of the best afternoon paper in the South.

A COMMITTEE made up of both Republicans and Democrats, who are among the most influential and widely known men in Kentucky, has issued an appeal for funds with which to defend Caleb Powers in the new trial recently awarded him by the Kentucky Court of Appeals. The gentlemen on this committee are Morris B. Belknap, G. N. Simon Bolivar Buckner, Andrew Cowan, Gen. Basil W. Duke and John Marshall. The latter gentleman is treasurer. The procuring for Caleb Powers of a new trial has stirred again a deep interest in his case. The purpose is to secure the large necessary fund and the hope is to give him a trial that all men can call fair.

GOV. YARDAMAN, of Mississippi, thinks he will not go the inauguration. He continues to flock himself. Though, in fact, he

has not been personally urged to go to Washington.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Col Bryan has the smiles that won't come off because the country refused to accept the Parker platform by a greater plurality than it rejected his own construction. Not a tear has the Nebraskan shed because he is now more popular and stronger. His delight is that Democracy's attenuated form again codifies up to himself.—Louisville Herald.

It is rumored that District Attorney Hill, of Louisville, will be succeeded by either Augustus E. Watson or W. O. Bradley. Watson has lost the Supreme Court, and Gov. W. O. Bradley are said to be Mr. Wilson's strongest supporters. Mr. Owens also has very influential friends who would back him strongly in such a race.

C. E. Sugg is contesting the nomination of L. W. Powell for County Clerk on the Democratic ticket in Henderson county. The official count gave the nomination to Mr. Powell by 18 votes. Satty charges are made in the contest and there is considerable feeling.

Gen. James H. Wilson, chairman of the Inaugural Committee, has voiced a very warm welcome to the proposed visitation to Washington of a generous delegation of the National Guard of the South upon the occasion of President Roosevelt's inauguration.

MANY CHANGES ON LOUISVILLE AND NASHVILLE.

Election of B. M. Starks as General Manager Results in Promotion of Others.

Nashville, Dec. 20.—The following changes on the Louisville and Nashville railroad were made about by the election of B. M. Starks as general manager, to take place January 1. L. E. Brooks, superintendent of the Nashville division, to succeed Mr. Starks on the north and south division; J. R. Wheeler, assistant superintendent of the north and south division, to succeed Mr. Brooks as superintendent of the Nashville division; E. J. Heylow, trainmaster of the Birmingham Mineral railroad, to be assistant superintendent of the north and south division and Birmingham Mineral.

Mr. Heylow was seriously injured in the recent wreck on the Southern at Newmarket, Tenn., but is fast recovering. His sister was killed in that disaster.

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Christmas will be here in a few days and you will need a present for the little ones.

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News for the Farmer

EARLINGTON CITY MARKET.

Corrected Weekly By W. C. McLeod.

Corn, per bushel, 60c.
Meal, per bushel, 80c.
Wheat, per bushel, \$1.13.
Potatoes, sweet, per bushel, 80c.
Potatoes, Irish, per bushel, 80c.
Sorghum Molasses, per gallon, 50c.
Onions, per bushel, \$1.25.
Hams, country, 12½c.
Shoulders, 8c.
Sides, 8c.
Lard, 8½c. 10c. 12½c.
Honey, per pound, 12½c.
Butter, good country, 20c.
Oats, per bushel, 90c.
Timothy Hay, per dozen, \$12.00.
Olive Steed, \$7.00.
Hogs, \$4.00.
Sheep and Lambs, \$3.00 and \$3.40.
Cattle, \$2.00 and \$2.50.
Calves, \$3.00 and \$3.50.
New Feathers, per pound, 50c.
Beechwax, per pound, 20c.
Green Hides, salted, No. 1, 6c.
Green Hides, unsalted, 5c.
Lambkins, 35c and 40c.
Greasewool, 20c.
Light Berry Wool, 18c and 19c.
Heavy Berry wool, 14 to 18c.
Eggs, per dozen, 20c.
Chickens, frying size, \$1.50 to \$3.00 per dozen.
Hens, \$2.50 to \$3.00 per dozen.
Turkey, 12½c.

Poultry Notes.

On the farm, as elsewhere, uniformity among the fowls is desirable. For this reason in a majority of cases one breed is sufficient. If more than one is kept they will mix and lose their individuality and plumage.

Shortages of Cattle.

F. J. Hagenbarth, president of the National Live Stock Association, is quoted as saying that in his opinion one of the greatest shortages in cattle in the history of the industry is about to come to public notice. In substantiation of his belief he says he has information that 50 per cent.

of the range stock that the packers handled this year from the range districts was female offerings, sent to market by producers who were trying to get rid of what they considered to be an over-production. He cited Sug. Robertson, of Texas, the celebrated ranchman, as saying that in a specified portion of the Panhandle there are only a small per cent. of the aged cattle that were on hand a few years since.—EX.

The New White Potato.

Additional particulars about the new species of white potato which is now cultivated in France, from plants found in Uruguay, indicate that its importance as a substitute for the Irish potato has not been exaggerated. Originally a very bitter tuber, the new vegetable becomes, after three or four years of cultivation, an admirable food product. It yields enormous, and it is exempt from the maladies that attack the ordinary potato. It grows best in the same protective habitats as the marshy shores of the River Mercedes in Uruguay. Its flowers have a jasmine-like order, and a delicate perfume has already been extracted from them. After one planting the plant perpetuates itself from the broken roots left in the soil—YOUTH'S Companion.

Mr. Sterling, Ky., Dec. 19.—The Montgomery county tobacco growers organized here to-day, and elected Joe C. Turley, H. K. Greene and Robert Howell as a Board of Control. Stock to the amount of \$3,500 was subscribed, and it is believed it will be increased to \$5,000 this week. Only one crop has been sold in this county, W. H. Ramsey selling 8,000 pounds to William McCray for eleven and a half cents straight. A message from control W. B. Watkins this afternoon stated that the stock of \$500 will be readily subscribed, and that the association is a sure success. Buying by the association will begin as soon as the tobacco is ready.

Prude Lodge No. 26, K. of P. of Earlinton held their election last Wednesday night which resulted as follows:

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S. D. Dunlap, V. C.
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J. H. Gough, Prelate.

The public installation will be held the second Wednesday night in January at White Masonic Hall. The public is invited to be present and witness the affair. The committee will see that every one will enjoy themselves.

The A. M. E. Zion church of Earlinton will hold its 10th anniversary commencing on New Year's night and continuing 15 nights. We have engaged good preachers to help us in this grand movement and earnestly ask the co-operation of every Christian and well-wisher of a good cause.

Frank Levell got one of his feet cut off Saturday at Madisonville by the Providence train.

The Patterson-Amos wedding last Thursday evening was a swell affair. Miss M. Slaten and R. Hall were the best folks.

Soveral people from Mortons attended the Patterson-Amos wed-Rev. J. W. Martin performed the ceremony.

The C. M. E. entertainment at the White Masonic hall Thursday night was well attended and very successful.

The W. H. and F. society of the Zion church held their first meeting Sunday evening which was very good.

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Sarah Ausborn, Mitty Ray and Lee Sudder are on the sick list. The baby of Mr. and Mrs. T. Bailey is very ill.

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J. W. Kennard and wife extend to their many friends at Madisonville and here many thanks for the donations given them since they got their household things burned.

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Rev. J. L. Bayliss, pastor of the C. M. E. church, will deliver a special sermon Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. Subject: The

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Tomorrow night Lizzie Ausborn will give a grand concert at old white Masonic hall. If you want to enjoy yourself come out.

Rev. L. Shanklin, who has been in Iowa for several months, returned Saturday looking the picture of health.

Rev. H. H. Gordon left for Kansas City Wednesday night to be gone on a ten days' visit. He will return before Xmas.

Rev. H. H. of the C. M. E. church passed through our city Friday en route to Morton where he preached Sunday. He returned Monday to preach for Rev. Bailey Monday night.

The Sunday school of the A. M. Zion church will have their Xmas tree in the basement Saturday night. Let all of the little folks come out.

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Cradle of Christ. The public is invited.

The infant child of Taylor Bailey and wife, died Dec. 20th and was buried at the cemetery at this place.

MORTON GAP—COLORED.

Mrs. Mary Patterson and Laura Clemmons went to Madisonville shopping last week.

Rev. Carter preached at the Baptist church Sunday night.

The following went to Madisonville last week to speak to "Santa Clause" about the good boys and girls: Narcis Brown, Lizzie Broadie, Gertrude Stapp, Eunice E. Hopson, and Georgia Brice. The above persons are committee for tree decoration.

Prof. J. V. Coleman went to Henderson Monday on business.

Annie Martin, of Earlinton, visited her cousin, Mary Patterson, last week.

All Patterson and wife come home Sunday evening. This place will be their future home.

Among the Lodges.

The G. O. O. of F. met Monday night and elected officers.

The U. B. F. met Tuesdays night and elected officers. They were:

James Hall, Worthy Counselor.
Silva Holden, W. Prelate.

N. S. Brown, W. Treasurer.
Eunice E. Hopson, W. Recorder.

Lizzie Hall, Most Noble Governor.
Mary Patterson, Noble Governor.

Lizzie Broadie, P. M. Noble Governor.

Mary R. Nance, Right Noble Governor.

Lela Grady, W. Chamberlain.

Other officers will be appointed by M. N. G.

Eliza Patterson is a member of the Order and we are glad to welcome her. She is an officer of the Order.

"The Glee Club" met Wednesday night and render music at the Baptist church Christmas day. The following anthems will be sung: "Calm on the Listening Ear," "Joy to the World," "Hark! the Herald Angels Sing," "We Arise and Left the Grave," and others. Songs are like sunshine. If you would keep spring in your heart learn to sing. The Club will give an entertainment Jan. 15, 1906.

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In order to prove absolutely that we can cure you of all maladies pertaining to the Liver and Kidneys, such as Consumption, Dysentery, Delirium, Biliousness, Malaria, Nervous and Sick Headaches, Diarrhea and Dysentery of a bilious type, we will give you an order on your druggist and pay him for a bottle of our drug.

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KILLED HIS CHIEF.

Young Ezell, a Telegraph Operator of Paducah, Kills His Man.

The following is from the Mayfield Monitor of the 17th inst.: Hon. Hal Corbett left this morning for Uniontown, Penn., to defend Jas. Ezell, who is charged with murder. The defendant is the son of Mr. Bud Ezell, the widely known tobaccoconist who formerly lived in Mayfield but who now resides in Paris, Tenn. The jury was selected yesterday, but the trial was postponed until tomorrow to give the Paducah attorney time in which to get there.

Young Ezell is a telegraph operator, twenty-two years of age. He worked for a railroad running through Uniontown. About sixty days ago, while he was in the telegraph office, the chief train dispatcher, named Butler, accused him of being drunk, relieved him from service and ejected him from the building. Ezell felt aggrieved at the charge, which he claims was false, and in a few moments thereafter returned to the room and found Butler telephoning to the superintendent of that division, informing him that the operator was drunk and had been dismissed. Catching these words Ezell informed Dispatcher Butler that the latter should not report anything like that to the superintendent, as he was not drunk, neither had he been drinking, therefore deserved no such treatment. The operator claims that the dispatcher, who was a big man, jumped up from telephone and started toward him with the intent of doing him harm. At this the young man pulled a razor from his pocket and cut the chief's throat, from the effects of which Butler died.

Ezell, was arrested, and indicted on the 5th of this month. He claims justification and self defense for killing the other. The young man is known to many people in Paducah, where he has often visited. His father is also well known in this city, especially among the tobacco dealers.

Editor Perry, of Winchester Sun-Sentinel, bids Farewell to the News-paper Business in the Following Pathetic Words.

For a quarter of a century I hampered away on the Sun, serving in every capacity, from devil to editor-in-chief, and all I have to show for it is a stack of ledgers in which are recorded incidents in the lives of men who owe me money.

"I have sent more souls to heaven by the newspaper route than all the Dowles, the Willmases and other religious mountebanks have carried off on their special trains to glory."

"I have said that a man was a saint when I knew him to be a sinner; that he was honest and upright when I had every reason to believe that he was a scoundrel and a thief."

"I have said that a woman was handsome and intelligent, when I knew her to be as ugly as ignorant as a faded barn door."

"I have complimented people only to be abused for inadvertent omissions or slight mistakes in spelling names."

"Because the foreman got the type mixed in masking up the forms I was accused of sending a lot of society people down South labeled as mules."

"On account of this mistake, for which I was in no sense responsible, I lost nine subscribers and gained the enemies of several nice ladies and gentlemen."

"I have covered the faults of men in high places when I knew they ought to be exposed."

"I have boomed the town and made things look rosy when I didn't have money enough to pay the freight on a bundle of news."

"I have used tons of good white paper; spent dollars on a bushel of oilcloth; stood up nights and shat myself hoarse in the service of the Democratic party and it hasn't paid me yet."

Doctors Could Not Help Her.

"I had kidney trouble for years," writes Mrs. Raymond Conner, of Shelton, Wash., "and the doctors could do little for me. I tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and the results of those I love me relief and now I am cured. I cannot say too much for Foley's Kidney Cure." It makes the diseased kidneys strong so they will eliminate all poisons from the blood. Unless they do this good health is impossible.

For sale by John X. Taylor.

EVERYBODY

TOYS Santa Claus Headquarters JACKETS

Gladden the hearts of the little ones by paying a visit to our splendid TOY DEPARTMENT that we have supplied with all of the new things known to the toy maker's art, as well as an unusually good selection of Dolls, all of which we offer to the general buying public almost at Cost, as we include only the running expenses on the prices asked on any article in this department.

Furs and Jackets for Presents

While stock is yet nearly complete and while we are making our FIRST DEEP CUT IN PRICES on these two special articles, we will call your particular attention to them as they will make splendid presents and something to be appreciated. Never before have we offered such inducements in Jackets, as we are overstocked on these particular goods and we are determined to unload them and have decided on the cutting of the price as the best method to dispose of them. They are here for you in a profusion of style and at greatly sacrificed prices.

Look at These Two Special Fur Offerings.

Either brown or black, fine fur scarf fully two yards long, with silk cord, either four or six tailed, for \$4.00 | An elegant Fur Scarf with silk cord and two ornament trimmings, in black or brown, trimmed with \$5.00 eight tails, only.....

Do not miss this opportunity of getting your Christmas goods for less money than ever before.

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Hand-kerchiefs Madisonville, Ky. Novel-ties



The Patterson Wagon.

THE Patterson Wagon is up-to-date in every respect. Made of the best material, well seasoned and well ironed and painted first class. The above cut represents my wagon just as it is. The fifth wheel is something new on a farm wagon. The bolster can't get down and hang and always stays level. My new patent standard is something you want; stronger than any standard and neat and nice, and will not wear out or rot out. My take-out tongue is up-to-date and complete in every respect.

FOR THE CASH, I am selling 2 3/4 wagons with lockchain and spring seat

COMPLETE FOR \$46.00.

Larger wagons proportionately cheap.

Log wagons of all kinds cheaper than ever heard of before. Light two-horse log wagons as low as \$50.00.

The above prices are for CASH and no time. By selling for cash I can save you from \$4.00 to \$10.00 on a wagon. One that sells on time can't do this, for he has to make allowances for bad debts.

I Guarantee My Wagons

To be up-to-date and first class in every respect, carry as much and last as long as any wagon, and for lightness of draft can't be beat by anything on wheels. I make my word my bond. As any business man in Madisonville if it is not so. If you have the cash to pay for a wagon come to me. I can save you money. My motto is to live and let live and treat everyone as my brother.

Buy a Patterson Wagon

And be pleased, live long and prosper, is my wish. With many thanks to my customers and friends for patronage and favors, I am yours for the wagon trade.

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HAPPENINGS IN KENTUCKY.

Editor Louis Landrum, of the Central Record, Lancaster, Ky., was presented by the members of the local lodge of Masons with a handsome silver Past Master's badge as a token of appreciation of his services as Master of the lodge for several years.

W. L. Buchanan, formerly editor of the Bedford Banner, Middlesboro, Ky., and a Democratic politician of Tribune county, has been called as pastor of the Christian church of this place. He has accepted the call and will take charge of the church January 1.

Mr. Sterling, Ky., Dec. 19.—John Kalin, baggage master on the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad, was run over by the cars at the depot this morning and his right foot cut off at the ankle. Kalin attempted to get off the train to uncouple a car, when he slipped and fell under the train. He is thirty-five years old and married. He lives at Ashland. His leg will be amputated.

Middlesboro, Ky., Dec. 19.—Charles Pickering, a young man, was struck by a motor car at Fork Ridge mines, in Mingo hollow, and died from his injuries.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 19.—Charles M. Latham, only brother of John C. Latham, of New York, and for many years a prominent merchant of this city, died last night. He was about fifty-eight years old. He retired from business a few years ago, and had been in declining health for some time. He leaves two daughters.

Hawesville, Ky., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Katherine Jackson, of Floral, this county, is dead at the age of one hundred and five years. She was the mother of a large family and had been in splendid health until a short time before her death.

Owensboro, Ky., Dec. 19.—Howard Johnson, eighteen years old, was killed while hunting rabbits ten miles east of the city. He had shot a rabbit and in descending a bank to get it his gun was discharged, the load passing through his body, tearing out his heart and lungs. He had been dead several hours when found. His dog was with him and fought Joe Early, the man who found the body when he attempted to go to it.

YOUTSEY'S RULE.

In Purple and Fine Linen, He Lives an Exempted Life for "Confessing" Against Powers and Howard.

(From Owensboro Inquirer, Dem.) Now that Caleb Powers has been adjudged a new trial everything is connection with the case becomes of interest. It is a conviction amounting to a certainty with a majority of the people of the State that the plan of killing Goebel to end the contest originated in the perverted brain of degenerate, Youtsey, and remained in hiding there until the steel messenger of death received its first impulse from the pressure of his finger on the trigger.

He was tried and convicted of the crime and took no appeal, being apparently satisfied. He was sent to prison and put at work that would probably have killed him, and made a "confession." Almost instantly he was transferred from the most slavish labor to a soft place in the office. Since that time he has had, according to the stories of those who have visited the prison, or who have inquired into the matter, everything except the liberty to come and go as he pleases.

Not long ago a man who is familiar with things about Frankfort and who performed important duties in the early spring of 1900, was at the capital and called on his friend, Eph Lillard, the warden of the penitentiary. After a drink out of some fine whisky intended for the dispensary, and while they were enjoying some very excellent cigars, a dapper-looking fellow passed, dressed in new clothes, including a sporty vest and a bright tie, and patent leather shoes. The visitor thought he knew all the prison force, and asked who the new man was. He was surprised to learn that it was Youtsey. During his stay there he found that, according to his view of the case, Youtsey had more privileges than were accorded to the clerks hired and paid by the State.

It is this creature who testifies in return for favors, including practical immunity from imprisonment. He will be tried at the next trial and he will tell his story over again without deviating a hair's breadth from his original statement if it were the truth, because it is a matter of memory of words and not of recollection of facts now five years old.

Hollow steel spheres are in use in Sweden for billiard balls.